

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 1874.

The Berlin German News has the following in relation to the resignation of Minister Bancroft and his probable successor: "Mr. Geo. Bancroft, the Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States at Berlin, whose intention to resign his post has frequently been reported, now insists upon being relieved of his duties. With him will return his son-in-law, Colonel A. Bliss, the Secretary of the American Legation at Berlin, who lately lost his wife. It is stated that the Cabinet of Washington intends offering the post of Minister Plenipotentiary at Berlin to Dr. Joseph P. Thompson, who has already been staying at the German capital for some time."

The Washington correspondent of the Troy Times says that he has taken pains to ascertain the position of the President on the currency question, and believes that he has got at the truth. "Grant is opposed to inflation, and greatly desires to see the day for specie resumption fixed. But he will not interpose a veto, except in a clear case of increase of legal tenders, and then it will be, if such a contingency arises, on the ground of doubtful constitutionality; and further, because, in his opinion, a new issue of legal tender notes in time of peace would be a great national calamity." This must be taken for "what it is worth."

It has been stated that American shipyards of late have become busy, and that there is now a prospect that the shipbuilding interest will become again all it was before the war. The statement, the New York Bulletin says is correct, and nothing has contributed so much to the present revival as the act of Congress of June 6, 1872, section 10 of which provides that there shall be a rebate of duties upon all imported articles that shall enter into the construction or repair of American vessels to be employed in the foreign trade of the United States.

Senator Ramsey has reported from the Senate Committee on Postoffices and Post Roads "a bill to provide for the transmission of correspondence by telegraph," which is a substitute for what is known as the Hubbard bill for establishing a postal telegraph system. The incorporators are the same as in the Hubbard bill, but the details for carrying out the proposed system are essentially different. The bill was accompanied by a report on the subject from the committee.

Memorial services in honor of the late Chas. Sumner, to take place in the Senate of the United States, have been postponed on account of the continued absence and illness of Mr. Massachusetts in electing a successor to Mr.

The latest advices from Cape Coast Castle, Africa, are to March 12. The Embassy, numbering with its escort one hundred and fifty persons, had arrived there. It is reported that they refuse to discontinue human sacrifice, and dispute the amount of indemnity.

Senator Chandler has caused the arrest of Mr. Buell, the correspondent who accused him of gross drunkenness in the Senate Chamber, on a charge of criminal libel. He was released gaming table and intemperance.

Rev. J. II. Paddock, paster of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Nanticoke, Pa., accidentally shot and killed himself at about noon on

The abrupt termination of the Sanborn trial in Brooklyn has led to the resignation of Assistant United States District Attorney William D. Hughes. .

It will be seen that Col. Joseph Mayo, State Treasurer, has been adjudged a lunatic and is to be sent to an asylum.

The President took the 11 o'clock p. m. train, yesterday, for New York. He will be absent from Washington for two or three days.

NEW BOOKS.—The National Publishing Company are about to issue the history of the grange movement or, the farmers' war against the American farmers against the extortions of ed until Monday. the railroad companies, with a history of the rise and progress of the order of Patrons of Husbandry, by Edwards Winslow Martin, author

of "Behind the Scenes in Washington, etc. a new novel by Lillie Devereux Biake, "Fet- sury, and passed. A resolution was passed autered for Life or, Lord and Master," which is highly spoken of. Mrs. Blake's already established reputation as a writer, and her celebrity as a brilliant speaker, will secure for her book an immediate consideration. Received and for sale by Mr. Goorge E. French, No. 95 King

The numbers of The Living Age, dated Mar. 28 and April 4, have interesting contents. For fifty-two such numbers, of sixty-four large pages each (aggregating over 3,000 pages a year) the subscription price (\$8) is low; or still better for \$10, any one of the American | S. Railroad, who were married at the residence

W. & O. R. R. -Our people have much reason to congratulate themselves upon the progress made in the extension westward of the Washington and Ohio railroad, and much and William. The ceremony was performed room for congratulation on the excellent man- by the Rev. I. W. Canter, the newly installed agement of the portion now in operation, and pastor of Andrew Chapel, in a beautiful and

Loudoun Enterprise.

NEWS OF THE DAY

"To show the very age and body of the Times"

D. D. Williams, cashier of the Conneaut ville National bank in Philadelphia which was reported robbed some weeks ago, was arrested yesterday, his bail having surrendered him. was found in the bank, gagged and senseless. A recent investigation of the bank-books shows a defalcation of \$27,000 in addition to the reported robbery of \$17,000, which caused a suspicion of the guilt of Williams.

Hardly a shadow of hope can be entertained for the safety of the new Norwegian steamer Anna, which left New York, for Rotterdam, on ed it to be engrossed. the 15th of February, forty-seven days ago, and of which vessel no tidings have been heard since her departure from Brooklyn on the above mentioned date.

James Allen Barber, Representative from the Third Wisconsin district has published a

Three Indians were to be hanged at Fort Smith yesterday for murders committed in the Ladian country.

Senator Schurz will deliver his oration ou mstant.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Col. Elhanon Row, died at his residence in Orange county on the 27th ulto., aged seventysix years. For many years Col. Row was an active and useful citizen of the county, having been sheriff for many years and holding at different times other prominent positions in his sage of the bill granting a new registration for

The Fairfax News says that Mr. Anthony Miller has sold to Mr. Blake, late of Scotland, 112 acres of land, including the buildings, for the sum of \$4,000. The land is about 11 miles | Coekerille, by whom he was removed from the north of the Court House, on the Vienna road.

The Virginia Midland Railroad Company advertise for 67,500 cross-ties, 6,500 of which are to be delivered between Charlottesville and Lovingston, and 6,000 between Lovingston and Lyuchburg.

Mrs. Frances Gaines, relict of the late Andrew Gaines, died at her residence in Orange county on Saturday morning, the 28th ulto., aged sixty years,

The case of Bolling vs. Lersner has been set down in the Court of Appeals as a privileged case, and will be heard as soon asthe court and counsel are ready to take it up.

John C. Henry, convicted in the United States Court at Lynchburg on Friday of em bezzlement and forgery, attempted to commit suicide at 10 o'clock that night by taking poison. Mr. John Berry, the oldest printer in the State, died on Thursday at his residence in

Goodson, aged eighty-one years. The total school population of the State is 426.760, and the last amount apportioned, \$142,331 333.

Washington News.

A young man named Wm. H. Gardner was aken into custody at police headquarters yesterday evening on the basis of a telegram from Brooklyn, charging him with the larceny of clothing. He attempted to cut his throat, but a young lady, Miss Jennie Dunan, who, hearing of the arrest, had come to the headquarters, seized his arm and frustrated his design. Miss Dunan said that the accused was her betrothed, and innocent or guilty, she intended to keep her word and marry him. A minister was sent for, and the services of Rev. G. A. Hall having been obtained, the twain were made one. A few moments afterwards the overclouded honeymoon was brightened by a dispatch from Brooklyn, directing that the elected clerk of the second legislative commit-

left the police office happy.

Mr. J. S. O'Neal, one of the bailiffs of the Supreme Court of the District, was arrested Boutwell, and the delay of the government of yesterday at the Continental Hotel, where he on Col. Mayo, State Treasurer, and after a seswas spending the honeymoon with his bride, Miss Sarah A. Baker, upon the charge of bigamy. He gave bail for court. He admits for treatment. a former marriage, but claims that he has a

GAMBLING. -Col. William D. Coleman has been found guilty of forging the record book of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and also appropriating to his own use certain bonds, part and parcel of that fund, and has been sentenced to the penitentiary for four

Thus has a young man universally esteemed, of high social position and deemed worthy of valuable public trusts, been brought low by the

The moral is plain enough without our preaching of it. All we have to say is that a eity like Richmond, which does not suppress gambling houses, does not want to suppress them. The police of every city know all about these places, and they very carfully let them

If they are going to be a permitted evil, let them be neensed and at least derive some revenue for the State from them. As it is they get all and pay nothing.

We are bound to believe that poor Coleman -whom we knew and knew to be a gentleman -would still be respected and trusted had it not been for the Faro-banks.

Now none are so poor as to do him reverence; his honest parents are broken-hearted in their age, and Babylon sitteth in high places and mocketh at their calamity! Shame! - Gordonsville Gazette.

Congress. - In the Senate yesterday a motion to adjourn over on account of its being Good Friday was rejected. The Currency bill was postponed, and the Senate, withot action, spent monopolies, being an account of the struggles of Louisville and Portland Canal bill, and adjourn-

In the House of Representatives the bill to authorize an investigation of the Alaska fur seal trade was amended so as to provide that a naval officer shall accompany the Commissioner Sheldon & Co., New York, have published to be appointed by the Secretary of the Treathorizing the Committee of Ways and Means to investigate certain charges as to money having been paid to secure the passage of a Pacific mail subsidy through the Forty second Congress, and the House then took up the private bill

calendar. MARRIAGE. - In another column will be found a notice of the marriage of one of Harrisonburg's fairest and most accomplished ladies to a brave and chivalrous gentleman of Alexandria. We refer to Miss Maggie M. Andrew and Wm. M. Flemming, an engineer on the Manassas branch of the W. C., V. M. & G. \$4 magazines is sent with The Living Age for of the bride's parents in this place on Tuesday a year. Littell & Gay, Boston, publishers. We. were present on the happy occasion and can truly say that never did bride appear more modest and becoming or groom more truely the unassuming gentleman than did our tried and personal friends Maggie The severe discrimination made by the Baltimore and Ohio road against local trade has become so oppressive that the people in many sections do not feel like submitting to it any longer, and are looking hopefully to the further extension of the Washington of the Wa extension of the Washington and Ohio road for as he is noble and generous, and his bride as lican, and that she got presented in some irreg-

plished. - Rockingham Register.

FROM RICHMOND.

LEGISLATIVE.

RICHMOND, April 3.-The State Journal of this afternoon devides the members of the Senate into two clases-the present and absent members, and says that the latter are in the The morning of the reported robbery Williams | majority--which is even, so very frequently. The House of Delegates being a much larger body, continually in motion, it is difficult to tell whether the presentees or absentees are more numerous.

The Senate, to-day, got through with the bill taxing stamps on contracts, &c., and order-

The bill amending the code in relation to the terms of Circuit Courts, was passed.

The Senate refused to consider the bill making an appropriation to the Eastern Lunatic Asylum, and insisted upon its amendment to the bill relative to the Virginia Chemical and letter declining to be considered a caudidate for Mining Company. [The House deprived the re-election.

In the House of Delegates a resolution was introduced to allow any county to vote on the question of a tax on dogs; also for reporting a bill to destroy over-due coupons attached to consol bonds now in the Treasurer's office, and the death of Sumner, in Boston, on the 29th to cancel those hereafter becoming due when they become so.

The tax bill was considered and an amend ment offered imposing a specific tax for the privilege of manufacturing, rectifying, and selfing ardent spirits, etc.

"REPRESENTATIVE EQUALITY."

Syphax, the colored delegate from Alexandria county, having taken umbrage at the pas-Alexandria city and county, to which, of course, he is opposed, as it will most probably reduce the colored vote in the county considerably by lopping off the "dead heads," &c., and at the same time having no "good blood" for Judge office of clerk of the County Court, for incompetency, &c , and ever anxious for notoriety, to day introduced the following preamble and resolution in the House, prefacing their introduction by saying, that by the action of the House relative to registration in Alexandria city and county, the delegation from those places being ignored, and Mr. Cockerille, of Fairtax, being allowed to control matters, had left him no alternative but the tender of this

"Whereas, it is evident that representatives upon this floor are proscribed and denied the right to represent their constituents on account of local political afficiations; and whereas this spirit is antagonistic with the principles of Republican government, prejudicial to the interests of the people of Virginia, and insulting to constituents who are denied representation up

on this floor; therefore, "Resolved, That the Committee on Propositions and Grievances be instructed to report to this House what measures the General Assembly should adopt by which each and every member should be placed upon the same broad footing of representative equality, and whether partisan considerations in legislation is not hurtful to the dignity and welfare of the commonwealth.

The resolution was referred, and will sleep. NEW U. S. MARSHAL.

C. P. Ramsdell has qualified before Judge Hughes as U. S. Marshal for this district. He gave bond in the penalty of \$20,000, with the following sureties: Matthew P. Rue, of Norfolk county; Wm. McCronigal, of Surry; J. H. Van Auken, of Sussex, and I. C. O'Neal, of Alexandria; all members of the Legislature D. B. Parker, the retiring marshal, has en-

gaged in the lumber business at Newark, N. J., and will shortly remove to that city.

Col. M. D. Ball, of Alexandria, has been young man should be released. All parties tee of investigation, the committee appointed to examine the affairs of the capitol basement

A commission of lunacy was held to-day upsion of nearly five hours, he was adjudged a lunatic, and ordered to be sent to an asylum

A GENEROUS DONATION. - Rev. Jus. Gib bons, the Roman Catholic Bishop of Richmond, was the recipient on Monday of a most handsome present in the shape of a deed conveying to him in fee simple the elegant mansion on the northeast corner of Marshall and tenth streets, with the grounds adjoining and all the furniture in the house. This munificent bequest is the offering of Wm. Shakespear Caldwell, esq., whose charities have often heretofore been bestowed on Richmond.

We understand that the Bishop designs to convert this handsome property into an orphan asylum for boys -a most valuable addition to the many and noble charities of our city.

IMPORTANT SUIT DECIDED. -- In the Norfolk Circuit Court, Judge Blow presiding, the suit of Mr. Charles Riddick, of Suffolk, against the Atlantic, Mississippi & Ohio Railroad, was decided in favor of the detendants. The ground of action was that the plaintiff was ejected from a freight train, not having previously secured a ticket, and he laid his damages at \$5,000. Judge Blow's decision (at first reserved) was rendered on Monday. It awards to the railroad company the right to compel the purchase of a ticket before travelling on the road. Emi uent counsel were engaged on both sides.

PROTECTION OF SHEEP. - Petitions are now being circulated in this county for signers, asking the Legislature to include Prince William with Frederick, Page and Charlotte counties in the act recently passed for the protection of sheep. The law taxes every dog seventy-five cents, and authorizes the officer to kill all dogs upon which the tax is not paid. The money derived from the tax goes to pay for sheep killed or injured by dogs. If we get the law, a thousand dollars' worth of sheep will be raised in our county where one dollar's worth is raised now. - Manassas Gazette.

VIRGINIA STATE DEBT. - We publish the strong and Statesmanlike report on Mr. Griffith's proposition to stop all interest on the publie debt and devote any excess in the Treasury to the purchase of State bonds. It exposes the injustice of the scheme, and shows the impolicy and hopelessness of any effort to avoid the publie debt. It declares most truly that "all shifts, all devices and contrivances (for this object,) will be abortive, and tend only to bring discredit on the fair name of Virginia without affording any substantial relief."-Rich. Dis.

GOOD FRIDAY. - Although Good Friday is not a legal holiday in this State there is a growing inclination to refrain from the transaction of business on a day which to Christians ought to be one of the greatest solemnity. Pennsylvania has made it a legal holiday, and the action of the Cotton, Produce and Stock exchanges in suspending business indicates a growing feeling in favor of a similar observance of the day in this State. In Europe Good Friday in generally observed. -N. Y. Herald.

INADVERTENCE. - The London Gazette, the

relief from its exorbitant rates and charges.—

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The Alexandria Bible Society.

To the editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

I was sorry not to be able to attend the meeting of our Bible Society. It was held at a red, with sales at i40 and 162 for common to metime which made it impossible for me to be present. The purposes of the Society appeal to every Christian heart. I have been a life member of it, and a constant contributor to it for more than twenty-five years. Feeling a deep interest in the Society, I have been mortified at the waste of its funds; and as editor of the Southern Churchman I have said so. It was this fact that caused my name to be mentioned by one of the speakers at the meeting on Thursday evening, whose language, judging from the | which brought from 11 to \$13 per thousand, and report in the Gazette, was very intemperate. The facts are as follows: During the past year the Society received a little over \$10,000. It took of this sum \$6,000 to pay its agents; its agents spent for incidental-\$1,000 more, leaving only \$3,000 to be appropriated to Bible work. In other words, if any person gave \$10 to this Society, the agents put \$6 in their pockets, they spent \$1 more for their travelling and other expenses and \$3 only out of the \$10 went to the cause for which \$10 had been contributed. These facts are printed in the last report. If any one desires to see the report Mr. Geo. H. Robinson, Mr. Edward F. Witmer, and Mr. Jas. Entwisle, jr., have copies, and they will, no doubt, take pleasure in showing them. If any person wants to give \$10 to this Society. he can, of course, do so; I do not intend, however, to do it until this shameful misappropriation of funds ceases.

Col. Mosby's Plans. -- A Washington correspondent of the Wytheville (Va.) Enterprise writes: "Mosby has declared himself a candi date for Congress in the Loudoun District, and is at present carrying on the canvass in his peculiarly active, energetic and dashing style. He does not propose to go into convention, but to fight it out on the independent line, swooping down upon his opponents unexpectedly. and deteating them while detached, after the most approved style of the military art. The Colonel has assurances of the warmest support from President Grant, and proposes to run on his well known platform of placing the Conservative party of Virginia in accord with the Administration. He anticipates opposition from the extreme Radicals of his district, but expects to triumph by a handsome majority over all his antagonists.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following transfers of real estate in this city, during the month of March, are reported by Messrs. Green & Wise, Real Estate Agents: Lot and improvements s e cor Prince and Royal sts, 88 ft 42 in. by 100 ft 6 in, S F Beach et al, comm'rs, to E Poulson, trustee, \$4500.

Lot east side Pstrick st, 19 ft north of Gibbon,
21 by 65 ft, G H Robinson et als to J T Nalis,

Sold.

Lot south side of King st, 73 ft 5 in west of Alfred, 24 by 100 ft, C C Bradley et als to R C partnersip under the name and firm of W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,

Lot north side of Duke st, 95 fe t west of Fayette st, 25 by 100 ft, R Johnston et als to John T Nalls, \$125.

Nalls, \$129.

Let north side of Prince st, bet Pitt and Royal, 32 ft 2½ in by 157 ft 6 in, W A Taylor, comm'r, to G H Harlow, \$1100.

Let north side of Oronoco st, 32 by 94 ft, M Harrison et als to Jacob Banks, \$160 House and lot west side of Patrick st, bet King and Cameron, 15 by 123 ft 5 in, Joshua Shipley

et al to L Gentzberger, S1025.

Lot and improvements east side of St Asaph st, 81 ft 5 in south of Prince, 15 by 83 ft 5 in, Jas R Cole and wife to Samuel Kinston, \$850. Brick house and lots on the west side of Fairfax st. between Prince and Duke, DS Gwina to

DS Delapiane, \$3800. Lot west side of Union st, bet King and Cameron, 43 ft 7 in by 60 ft, John Leatherland to Jo siah H D Smoot, \$100. House and lot north side of Cameron st, 33 ft west of Alfred, 21 by 82 ft, Albert Stuart, com'r,

to Georgianna Mills \$300. Lot on the east side of Alfred st, 138 ft 101 in north of Cameron, 18 ft 103 in by 113 ft 5 in. Mechanics' Home Association to C E Glover, \$150.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's parents, in Harris nburg, on Tuesday morning, March 31, by Rev. I. W. Canter, WM. FLEXING, of Alexandria, Va., and Miss MAGGIE, daughter of Joseph Andrew, of Harrisonburg.

At his residence, in Fairfax county, on Mon-day, March 30, 1874, EDWIN ROWZEE, of pneumonia, in the 36th year of his age.

On Wednesday, March 25, 1874, at his residence, in Fairfax county, E. O. POWELL, esq., in the 67th year of his age. On Tuesday, March 24, 1874, at her residence, near Fox's Mill, in Fairiax county, Va., M ss GEORGIANA FOX, of pulmonary consump-

tion, in the 35th year of her age.

FOR THE HAIR.

Phalon's Vitalia, Hall's Renewer, Nettan's Crystal Discovery, Sterling's Ambrosia, Burnett's Coconine, Bang's Tricopherine, Ayer's Hair Vigor, Ezekiel's Isir Restorer, Lyon's Kathairon, and Blair's' Quinize and Glycerine Hair Tonic-a fresh supply just received and for sale by WARFIELD & HALL, Corner Prince and Fairfux streets.

SPRING STYLES NEW AND DESTRABLE GOODS, Consisting of Fancy Goods, Hosiery, Notions, &c., &c.,-a large assortment. Also Cambric

Edgings and Insertings, Linen Collars and Cutfs, Ruches, Ruffles, &c. FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT,

TASTELESS COD LIVER OIL, a popular Tastelless consumption, Bronchitis, Coughs, Asthma, Scrofula, Dyspepsia, Rheumatism, General Debitity, &c. For sale by jan 3 WARFIELD & HALL.

OFFICE ALEXANDRIA WATER CO., March 30, 1874.
The stockholders of the Alexandria Water Company are hereby notified that the first instalment of two dollars per share on each share of the old stock of the Company has been order ed by resolution of the Board of Directors to be paid to the Treasurer, at the office of the Company, on or before the 15th day of April next. By order of the Board:-mh 30-cotd T. D. FENDALL, Secretary.

SALTI To arrive and in store-3000 sacks Evans Fine Salt 4650 " Verdin & Son's Fine Salt 4650 " Verdin & Son's Fin 7500 " Ground Alum Salt.

All of our own importation from Liverpool, England, and Turk's Island. For sale at lowest W. A. SMOOT, market rates by Smoot's wharf. CHARLES S. TAYLOR, Jr.,

Manufacturer and Dealer in BROOMS, NO. 6 PRINCE STREET,

2500 bushels Turk's Island Salt

ALL ORDERS. Jan 19-tr LIVERPOOL SALT

Alexandria, Virginia.

2000 sacks DEAKINS FINE SALT.

1500 " EVANS FINE SALT.

3.00 " G. A. SALT.

To arrive per barque Theodosius Christian, now due from Liverpool, direct to this port. For sale at market prices by mh 14

HOOE & JOHNSTON.

STAMPING!

COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, April 4.-Wheat is qui t and unchange !; offerings of 1022 bushels dium quality, 167, 170 and 172 for good to prime, and 175 for choice. Corn is less firm; offerings of 3001 bushels, with sales of mixed at 75 and 76, and yellow at 76. Rye is in light receipt, with sales at 88 Outs are active and steady; sales at 59 and 69, with offerings of 250 bushels. Sales of Mill-feed at SI 10.

ALEXANDRIA FISH MARKET, April 4.- The receipts of tresh Fish at the Fishwharf since yesterday's report have been 6000 Shad which sold at from 13 to \$15 per hundred; 30,000 Herrings, 1500 bunches of Rock and Perch, which sold at from 20 to 25c a bunch.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, APRIL 4, 1874. SUN HOSE..... 541 | MOON RINES 9 13

ARRIVEL

Steam-r Charlotte Vanderbilt, Baltim re, to Hood & Johnston. Steame: Lady of the Lake, Norfo'k, to F A PASSED UP.

rehrs Francis Shubert, light, and Express,

SAILED.

Steamer George H Stout, Philadelphia, by F Steamer Pilot Boy, Currioman, by F A Reed. Schr Crab, Norfolk, by Smoot & Perry. Schr Jesse W Knight, Providence, by Shinn Schr Flerence J Lockwood, Georgetown, by

PAS ED DOWN. Schrs Wm Mason and Florence Dean coal.

CANAL COMMERCE. Arrived, boat A K Syester, to J P Agnew; J

Winslow, to Black Avon Coal Co, and Thou E Sheridan, to W A Smoot. Departures, boats A K Syester, J D Winslow and Thos E Speridan, for Cumberland.

OYSTER AND FISH DEALERS. NOTICE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

We, the undersigned, have formed a co-partnership for the purpose of conducting the FISH BUSINESS, in all its branches, under the name and style of J. S. COGSWILL & CO. We can be found at our stails, in the market, or at our Packing House, on the Fish Wharf, fronting on Union street. All orders sent to us will receive prompt attention. Can be found at our stalls, Nos. 2 and 1, Mar

ket equire. S. COGSWILL, J. G. GRIMES, JOHN W. HENDERSON, JOHN W. TRAVERS. feb 13-3m

COPARTNERSHIP The undersigned have this day formed a co-

for the purpose of conducting the POFOMAC FISH BUSINESS in all its branches, at the old stand of W. A. Johnson, Fish wharf, and all orders entrusted to them will receive their special attention. Their well known reputation in the above business is effered as an inducement to customers, who may depend on getting what they order.

W. A. JOHNSON.

W. JAVINS. W. H. SMITH. G. E. PRICE.

OYSTERS. OHN STONE, on the Strand, near the Cyster Dock, will supply his customers with OYS-TERS, fresh from the shell, at 75c per gallon. Give him a call.

JOHN S. COGSWILL, At his Oyster House, opposite the Gazette effice, is prepared to furnish OYSTERS to all who may desire them. All orders from the country will receive prompt attention.

AUCTIONEERS.

FANCIS A. KERBY, REAL ESTATE BROKER, AND GENERAL BUSINESS AGENT NO. 56 KING STREET.

(Burke's Building,) Alexandria, Virginia.
Buy and sell, let and lease houses in Alexandria and farms in the country.

Particular attention given to the selling of household furniture at auction at the residences

of lamilies declining housekeeping. [feb 21-tf 88 Corner of Royal, Alexandria, Va. 88. SPRING TRADE. 1871.

The subscribers have received a large, and well-selected stock of goods, to which they are continually making additions which are suited to the present season, embracing Hoes, Rakes, Forks, Shovels, Spades, Castings, Bush Hooks, Briar Scythes, Garden Trowels, Grass Hooks, Pruning and Hedge Shears, Lawn Scythes, Floral Sets, Proming Knives and other goods too numerous to mention. Our stock of Pocket and Table Cutlery, Build-

ers' Hardware, Mechanics' Tools, Wagon and Coachmakers' Goods, Bellows, Anvils, Vices Stocks and Dies, Files, Rasps, Horse Shoeing Tools, Horse Shoes, Nail Rods, Bar Iron, Horse Nails, &c., &c., is full and complete. Hardware for family the in great variety, and all other goods usually found in a flardware Store. The above enumerated goods were purchased at the lowest prices, and having been long in the business, we know how and where to buy. will sell anything in our line at wholesale or retail at the very lowest prices and invite all pur-

the corner of Royal.

mh 18 JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON. MOUNT VERNON NURSERIES. FRUIT TREES ADAPTED TO THIS RE-GION A SPECIALTY. SMALL FRUIT, ORNAMENTAL TREES,

hasers to give us a trial at 85 King street, on

Etc., &c. Send for a Catalogue to C. GILLINGHAM & CO., Accotink Postedice, Fairfax co., Va nov 4-twif

DARLOR ORGANS.

I have on hand a fine assortment of CABINET ORGANS, from the most reputed makers, ranging from \$85 to \$175. They will be sold on time or with a liberal discount for each Call and see them At VICTOR BECKER'S Piano and Music Store, 112 King street, next to the Marshall House, Aleva., Va. ap 2-tf

NOTICE-The undersigned having qualified as Executors of the will of R. H. MILLER, hereby give notice to all per ons indebted to his estate to make payment to them, and to all persons having claims against the estate to present the same, duly proven, for settlement.

E. J. MILLER, ap 2-colm FRANCIS MILLER, Ex'rs.

CANNED GOODS-A fine assortment at low rates. GEO. McBURNER & SON, 166 & 170 King street. NUTRITIVE CREAM FOR THE HAIR.

This preparation will render the hair soft and glossy and prevent its fulling out. Composed as it is of the purest materials, it can be used with perfect safety, and answers all the purposes of pomades and oils, without product g that greatiness so common to much hair preparations.

For sale by WARFIELD & HALL, For sale by WARFIELD & HARLE the trial of th

THE FIRST ANNUAL MEETING FALLS CHURCH LAND AND BUILDING
ASSOCIATION
will be held at Crump's shop, in this place, on
the SECOND MONDAY IN APRIL, 1874, at 7½ o'clock p. m. SCHUYLER DURYEE, Secretary.

Falls Church, mh 30-cotd* EDEY'S CARBULLUTROUHES—Just received a fresh supply of Edey's Carbolic Troches, fo the cure of Coughs, Colds, Croup, Catarrh, Asthma and Diptheria. For sale by WARFIELD & HALL. mh 30 Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

LIST OF LETTERS Remaining in the Alexandria, Va., Postoffice

April 4, 1873. Persons calling for letters will say they are advertised and give the date of the list. If not called for within thirty days, they will be sent to the dead letter office, in Washington. Blackwell, M-ria

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